

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A Web collaborative browsing system and method using an Internet relay chat (IRC) protocol. A plurality of users can view a Web page of the same address, or uniform resource locator (URL), at the same time through Web browsers run in a plurality of terminals. The users act as clients to an IRC server by means of collaborative browsing client programs installed in the Web browsers. On the basis of these component programs, the users can each construct a desired session or join a pre-constructed session to share the same Web page with other users in the same session. Each of the collaborative browsing client programs is executed in the corresponding Web browser to act to receive an event from the Web browser, create a message corresponding to the received event and send the created message, and to receive a message from the IRC server, analyze the received message and apply a command based on the analysis result to the Web browser. Therefore, using an existing standard IRC server, synchronization can be established among browsers of a plurality of users in one session.